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Harold,

I goofed. Brig. Gen. Thomas John Hall Trapnell was not head of SAC He was head of The U.S. Army Strategic Command, which in 1961 had 115,000 men ready to move on short notice. That sounds like SAC to me but was called STRAC then.

He has a brother William Holmes Trapnell (Sons of Revolution) who was a telephone co, exec. in richmond at least in 1958-59.

I co uldn't reach dallas tonight. Will try tomorrow just wanted to let you know that he wasN't SAC. I'll send clips copy as soon aspossible.

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P.S. STRAC is Army equivalent of SAC in air force.

MF, JP, HR, RB, JNS, JL, PH, JW

2/5/72-please excuse thumb acting up again.

Trapnell. my newspaperman source writes to apologize for goof i reported as fact. the father, the general, was not at SAC but of "The U.S.Army Strategic Command, which in 1961 had 115,000 men ready to move on short notice...was called STRAC then." General's brother William Holmes Trapnell, Sons of Revolution, a right-wing group. They are, for the most part, seriously conservative, but my knowledge of them of long ago includes dangerous, unprincipled people as employees.